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TITLE OF INVENTION	
BUILDING WALL FOR RESISTING LATERAL FORCES	<u> </u>
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I bereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56,

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and which is material to the examination of this application, namely where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner we it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue and		!!
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in compliance with this duty, there is attached an information disclosure statement, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98.

PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d))

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §§ 119(a)–(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

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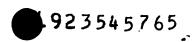
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I hereby claim	(34 U.S.C. the benefit under Title 35, Lal application(s) listed below:	§ 119(e))	·	•
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CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER US/PCT APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120

The claim for the benefit of any such applications are set forth in the
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I hereb	y appoint the following practitioner(s) ess in the Patent and Trademark Office	to prosecute this application and transact connected therewith.
	(list name and regist	ration number)
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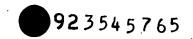
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TITLE OF INVENTION

BUILDING WALL FOR RESISTING LATERAL FORCES

EL 923545765

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

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(a) [is attached hereto.
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	"(2) name of inventor(s), and attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed or
	"(3) name of inventor(s), and title which was on the specification as filed."
	Notice of July 13, 1995 (1177 O.G. 60).
(b) [X	was mailed to the United States Patent Office on November 21, 1997, entitled BUILDING WALL FOR RESISTING LATERAL FORCES, inventors Alfred D. Commins, Robert C. Gregg, William F. Leek, Karen W. Colonias and Arthur R. Linn, attorney docket number SST/816.
NOTE:	Amendments filed after the original papers are deposited with the PTO that contain new matter are not accorded a filing date by being referred to in the declaration. Accordingly, the amendments involved are those filed with the application papers or, in the case of a supplemental declaration, are those amendments claiming matter not encompassed in the original statement of invention or claims. See 37 CFR 1.67.
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PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d))

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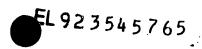
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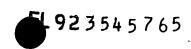
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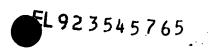
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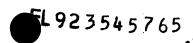
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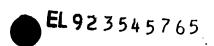
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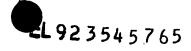
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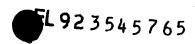


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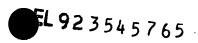
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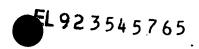
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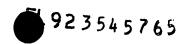
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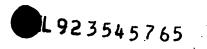


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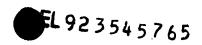
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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:	
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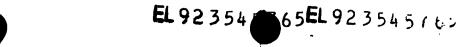
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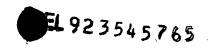
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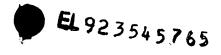
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